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To: Bob Palmer (rpalmer@mcfr.org)
Subject: Lockheed Martin Site

Chief Palmer, ARCADIS is the operator of the two closed landfills at the former Northwest Aluminum site. The EPA has recently expressed concern that toxic and explosive gases have been reported that approach or exceed levels deemed immediately dangerous to life and health and/or the lower explosive limit at the landfills. Although ARCADIS recently took screening level measurements at the landfills that did not indicate such conditions existed outside of the vent pipes on the RCRA landfill, ARCADIS and Lockheed Martin have committed to conducting a monitoring event to address the agency's expressed concerns. EPA has issued Lockheed Martin an Immediate Action letter, requiring Lockheed to secure the landfills from potential entry until the results of the sampling event can be evaluated. Entry has been prohibited for the current time.

In addition to developing the Sampling and Analysis Plan for the sampling event described above, EPA has requested that a contingency plan be prepared and discussed with entities that have easements on the property (PUD and BPA) and with the local fire department. As part of the Post Closure Care permit, ARCADIS has submitted contingency plans to you and the hospital to notify you of emergency contacts in the event of a release. I have been requested to obtain your for response plan in the event of a fire or explosion at the site. I'd like to discuss the contingency plan with you at your convenience sometime next week. Is there a day that would better for a quick call?

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,
Connie Cole

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